

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am opposed to adding regulations that force Digital Rights Management technology into consumer products. I believe that illegally copying and distributing content should remain illegal, but forcing implementation of a technology that could be used to limit the fair use of purchased or broadcast material is contrary to the goals and freedoms of this country. The idea of adding such technology is very misguided because it will not stop the commercial pirates from stealing and profiting from the content and it will greatly effect the end-user's normal use of the content. A regulation that is ineffective in what it purports to do (protect content) and has large unintended consequences that harms consumers should not be put into effect.

Sincerely,

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